



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF		) ) GROUP NO.: 1207 )
FRANK RICHTER ET AL		
SERIAL NUMBER: 08/713,905		) EXAMINER: R. SERGENT
FILED:	SEPTEMBER 13, 1996	) )
TITLE:	PROCESS FOR THE PRODUC- TION OF ETHER ISOCYANATES	) )

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir:

Appellants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Notice of Appeal filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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Name of applicant, assignee or

Décember 19, 1997

Date

Please charge the fee for response within the first month, \$ 110.00, to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

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